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Sir:

Prior to the examination of the above-referenced application on the merits, please enter the amendments below.

AMENDMENTS

In the Specification:

Please insert the attached "Sequence Listing" as separately numbered page 1 after the abstract.

REMARKS

Formal Matters

The present application has been amended to insert the Sequence Listing.

No new matter is added.

Certification Regarding Sequence Listing

I hereby certify that the enclosed Sequence Listing is being submitted under 37 CFR §§ 1.821(c) and (e) in paper and computer readable form (Compact Disk labeled 'CRF').

As required by 37 CFR 1.821(f), I hereby state that the content of the paper and computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing, submitted in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.821(c) and (e) are the same. The Computer Readable Format (CRF), being submitted under 37 CFR §§ 1.52(e) and 1.824, is formatted on IBM-PC, the operating system compatibility is MS-Windows and the file listing is: